CCRB INVESTIGATIVE RECOMMENDATION

Investigator:		Team:	CCRB Case #:	П	Force		Discourt.	$\overline{}$	U.S.
Latrice Frazier		Squad #1	202003809		Abuse		D.L.		Injury
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Incident Date(s)		Location of Incident:		P	recinct:	18 N	lo. SOL	Е	O SOL
Monday, 06/01/2020 3:45 PM		Atlantic Avenue Barcla entrance	ays Center Station		78	12/	1/2021	5,	/4/2022
Date/Time CV Reported		CV Reported At:	How CV Reported:	:	Date/Time	Receiv	ved at CCI	RB	
Tue, 06/02/2020 4:50 PM		CCRB	Call Processing System		Tue, 06/02	2/2020	4:50 PM		
Complainant/Victim	Type	Home Addre	ess						
Witness(es)		Home Addre	ess					_	
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Subject Officer(s)	Shield	TaxID	Command						
1. POF Renee Thomas	08131	959296	TB DT30						
2. POF Brigida Ferdinand	22220	963984	TB DT30						
3. LT Awais Mazhar	00000	945243	TB DT32						
4. CPT Tracy Mulet	00000	919452	TB DT32						
5. POF Cynthia Torres	14894	961382	TB DT30						
6. POM Steven Theophile	20214	959293	TB DT30						
Witness Officer(s)	Shield N	Tax No	Cmd Name						
1. INS Dennis Fulton	00000	901574	PBBS						
2. SGT Jose Dias	02663	948325	TB DT30						
3. POM Kyle Williams	01605	954424	TB DT32						
4. DTS Stephen Halk	7399	928450	LEG BUR						
5. POF Janice Conwell	28520	924936	LEG BUR						
Officer(s)	Allegation	on			Inve	stigat	or Recon	ımeı	ndation
A.POF Renee Thomas	Abuse: P	olice Officer Renee Tho 87(2)(b)	omas refused to prov	ide l	her				
B.POF Renee Thomas	Abuse: P	Police Officer Renee Tho Imber to § 87(2)(b)	omas refused to prov	ide l	her				
C.POF Brigida Ferdinand	Abuse: P	colice Officer Brigida Fe to § 87(2)(b)	erdinand refused to p	rovi	de				
D.POF Brigida Ferdinand		olice Officer Brigida Fe d number to ^{§ 87(2)(b)}	erdinand refused to p	orovi	de				
E.LT Awais Mazhar		ieutenant Awais Mazha	r refused to provide	his					

Officer(s)	Allegation	Investigator Recommendation
F.CPT Tracy Mulet	Abuse: Captain Tracy Mulet refused to provide her name to \$87(2)(b)	
G.POF Cynthia Torres	Abuse: Police Officer Cynthia Torres refused to provide her name to \$87(2)(b)	
H.POF Cynthia Torres	Abuse: Police Officer Cynthia Torres refused to provide her shield number to § 87(2)(b)	
I.POM Steven Theophile	Abuse: Police Officer Steven Theophile refused to provide his name to § 87(2)(b)	
J.POM Steven Theophile	Abuse: Police Officer Steven Theophile refused to provide his shield number to \$\frac{8}{37(2)(b)}\$	

Case Summary

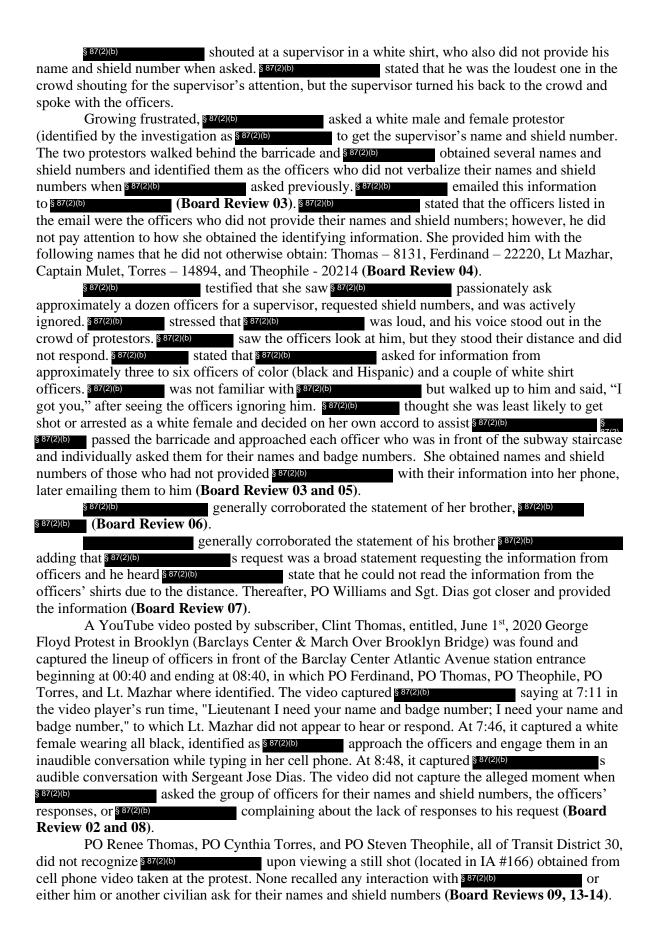
On June 2, 2020, \$87(2)(b) filed a complaint via the CCRB's call processing system.

On June 1, 2020, at approximately 3:45 p.m., while participating in the George Floyd/Black Lives Matter protest at the Barclays Center in Brooklyn, sar(2)(5) asked several officers (Police Officer Renee Thomas of Transit District 30, Police Officer Brigida Ferdinand of Transit District 30, Lieutenant Awais Mazhar of Transit District 32, Captain Tracy Mulet of Transit District 32, Police Officer Cynthia Torres of Transit District 30, and Police Officer Steven Theophile of Transit District 30) standing behind a barricade by the Atlantic Avenue – Barclay Center station entrance for their names and shield numbers. The officers pointed to their shirts and said this is my name and shield number without verbalizing their name or shield number (Allegation A – J: Abuse of Authority, \$87(2)(6)).

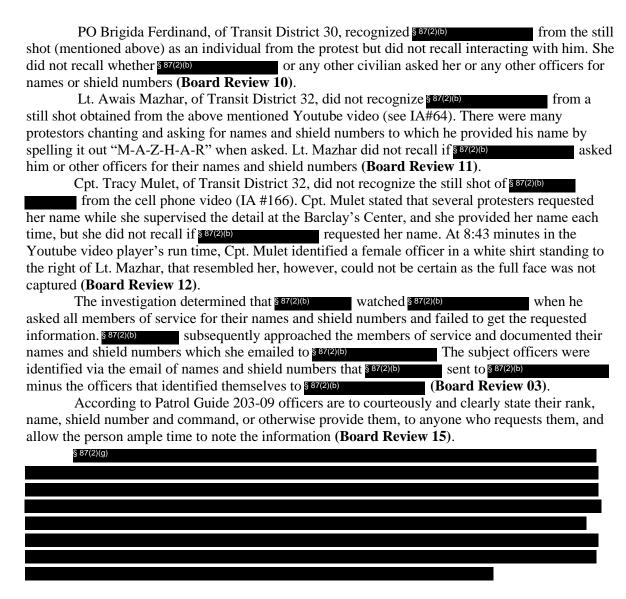
This incident did not involve arrests or summons, and BWC was not found for this incident. Per <u>Patrol Guide 212-123</u>, officers were not required to activate their body cameras (**Board Review 01**). A YouTube video of the alleged incident was found (**Board Review 02**). David **SST(2)(5)** took a cell phone video from the protest (**Board Review 19**).

Findings and Recommendations Allegation (A) Abuse of Authority: Police Officer Renee Thomas refused to provide her name Allegation (B) Abuse of Authority: Police Officer Renee Thomas refused to provide her shield number to § 87(2)(b) Allegation (C) Abuse of Authority: Police Officer Brigida Ferdinand refused to provide her name to § 87(2)(b) Allegation (D) Abuse of Authority: Police Officer Brigida Ferdinand refused to provide her shield number to § 87(2)(b) Allegation (E) Abuse of Authority: Lieutenant Awais Mazhar refused to provide his name to Allegation (F) Abuse of Authority: Captain Tracy Mulet refused to provide her name to Allegation (G) Abuse of Authority: Police Officer Cynthia Torres refused to provide her name to § 87(2)(b) Allegation (H) Abuse of Authority: Police Officer Cynthia Torres refused to provide her shield number to § 87(2)(b) Allegation (I) Abuse of Authority: Police Officer Steven Theophile refused to provide his name to § 87(2)(b) Allegation (J) Abuse of Authority: Police Officer Steven Theophile refused to provide his shield number to § 87(2)(b) approached the barricade in front of the Atlantic Avenue Barclays Center Subway Station entrance where the officers stood regulating the flow of traffic in and out of the subway station. Barricades separated the officers from the large group of protestors in Barclays Center Plaza. The officers stood approximately ten feet behind the barricade. § 87(2)(b) asked approximately seven officers standing closest behind the barricade, "Officer what's your name and badge number?" PO Kyle Williams and Sgt. Jose Dias got closer and provided their names and shield numbers. The other officers said, "This is my name and badge number," while lifting the shields that were on their shirts towards § 87(2)(b) not see the information, however, as the officers were not close enough. §87(2)(b) could not fully provide descriptions of these officers. § 87(2)(b) was not certain of the descriptions of the officers he asked for names and shield numbers, but stated there were approximately three females, and the rest were male, § 87(2)(b) did not inform the

officers who lifted their shields that he could not see their shields.



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Civilian and Officer CCRB Histories

- This is the first CCRB complaint to which \$87(2)(b) has been a party (**Board Review 16**).
- Police Officer Renee Thomas has been a member-of-service for five years and this is the first CCRB complaint to which she has been subject.
- Police Officer Brigida Ferdinand has been a member-of-service for three years and this is the first CCRB complaint to which she has been a subject.
- Lieutenant Awais Mazhar has been a member-of-service for 13 years and this is the first CCRB complaint to which he has been a subject.
- Captain Tracy Mulet has been a member-of-service for 23 years and this is the first CCRB complaint to which she has been a subject.
- Police Officer Cynthia Torres has been a member-of-service for four years and this is the first complaint to which she has been a subject.
- Police Officer Steven Theophile has been a member-of-service for five years and has been a subject in one CCRB complaint and two allegations, neither of which was substantiated.

§ 87(2)(g)

Mediation, Civil and Criminal Histories

- This complaint was not suitable for mediation.
- According to the Office of Court Administration (OCA), §87(2)(b) has no history of convictions in New York City (**Board Review 17**).
- As of September 16, 2020, the New York City Office of the Comptroller has no record of a Notice of Claim being filed in regards to this complaint (**Board Review 18**).

Squad No.:	1		
Investigator: _	Inv. Frazier Signature	Print Title & Name	10/15/20 Date
Squad Leader: _	Mgr. Joy Almeyda		10.15.20
	Signature	Print Title & Name	Date